

Statement of cotton pressed in the Mysore State for the week ending Friday,
the 23rd August 1940.

[Section 5 (ii)]

Name of the Division or Block	Number of bales pressed				Remarks
	During the week	During the corres- ponding week of last year	Since the com- mencement of the season, 1st Sep- tember 1939	During the corresponding period of last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
Mysore	114	131	17,638	19,112	

BANGALORE,
Dated 27th August 1940.

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For Chief Inspector of Factories.

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE
FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 1940.

A total of 42 attacks with 21 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 29 attacks with 20 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Field Area continued to remain free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1939 and 1938 were 29 attacks with 21 deaths and 45 attacks with 20 deaths, respectively.

A total of 9 attacks with 3 deaths from Small-pox was reported from a village in each of Hole-Narsipur and Malur Taluqs, Malvalli and Shimoga Towns, Bangalore City and from Kolar Gold Field Area.

Two fatal cases from Influenza were reported from Mysore City.

The State remained free from Cholera and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 124 (24 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 28.9 (23.3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 22.2 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under Small-pox, 2 under Malaria, 1 under Typhoid, 6 under other Fevers, 7 under Phthisis, 28 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea, and 79 under all other causes. The reported mortality was high due to increase in deaths under Dysentery and Diarrhoea.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 90 deaths (13 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 31.5 (27.0 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 28.7 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Malaria 1, Broncho-Pneumonia 1, Pneumonia 8, Typhoid 1, Phthisis 7, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 15, and all other causes 57. The reported mortality was high due to increase in death under Dysentery and Diarrhoea and all other causes.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 91 (21 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 86.7 (28.8 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 20.9 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were Malaria 2, Typhoid 1, Other Fevers 11, Phthisis 6, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 17, and all other causes 54. The reported mortality was high due to increase in deaths under Dysentery and Diarrhoea and all other causes.

There were 46 deaths (6 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 28.9 (25.2 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 33.1 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under Smallpox, 8 under Other Fevers, 1 under Phthisis, 7 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 29 under all other causes. The reported mortality was normal.

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